



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Underage Permission Form

On (date) _____ (student's printed name) _____ seeks permission to (mark one option below):

- Participate in an Adult Education (AE) or Adult Literacy (AL) Program
Take a High School Equivalency (HSE) test (HiSET® or GED®)

Instructions for using this form to participate in an Adult Education or Adult Literacy Program: Complete this form and ensure it is signed by the student's parent/guardian and the director of the AE or AL program in which the 16- or 17-year old individual wishes to participate.

Instructions for using this form to take an HSE test: Complete this form and ensure it is signed by the student's parent/guardian. Then, email it to the State HSE Administrator, Dr. Katya Backhaus, for signature: Katya.Backhaus@state.nm.us.

Individuals under the age of 16 may not receive any of the above-listed services.

Student's date of birth _____ Date of withdrawal from school, if applicable _____

Name, city, and state of school from which student withdrew. If not applicable, you may leave blank.:

School name: _____ School city and state or country: _____

Was the student homeschooled? (mark one) [] YES [] NO

Please provide a description of the situation that resulted in the student's withdrawal from school and/or decision to seek the services and opportunities mentioned above. (Continue your explanation on the back, if necessary.)

Because of the above-stated situation, we agree that the underage individual shall be permitted to participate in an Adult Education or Adult Literacy program or take an HSE test.

Parent/Guardian (signature, printed name) _____

Test Site Manager OR AE/AL program director (signature, printed name) _____

(Note: Test site manager signature is needed only in case of HSE tests. AE/AL director signature needed only for participation in an AE/AL program.)

Approved by the HSE Administrator (signature) _____